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To Mr. BAVIUS, Secretary to the Society of Grub-ſtreet.

SIR,

THO' I have not, as yet, complied with your advice in comparing my own obſervations with thoſe of others, I hope you will excuſe me; ſince you are at liberty, either to ſuppreſs my Letters, or to cut off their ſuperfluities. If therefore you will give me leave to go on in my own way, and to employ this Letter in ſome preliminary obſervations, I promiſe in my next to begin my Remarks on the ſeveral Books of Doctor B.'s *Milton* in order.

Firſt then, I muſt take notice of a paſſage in his *Preface, p.* 6. where he affirms, that 'this Poem has, for 'above 60 years time, paſſed upon the whole nation 'for a perfect, abſolute, faultleſs compoſition.' But what ſays Mr. ADDISON (to omit DRYDEN and others)? 'I have '(ſays that good-natur'd Critic, in *Spectator*, Vol. V. No. '369.) ſpoken of the cenſures which our Author may 'incur under each of theſe heads [the fable, the cha'racters, the ſentiments, and the language] which I have 'confined to two Papers, tho' I might have enlarged the 'number, if I had been diſpoſed to dwell on ſo ungrate'ful a ſubject. I believe, however, that the ſevereſt 'Reader will not find any little fault in Heroick Poetry, 'which this Author has fallen into, that does not come 'under one of thoſe heads, among which I have diſtributed 'his ſeveral blemiſhes.' And in another place, Vol. IV. No. 291, he declares, that 'he enters upon it as a very 'ungrateful work, and that he ſhall juſt point at the im'perfections, without endeavouring to enflame them with 'ridicule.' Tho' the Doctor did not think himſelf obliged to follow this Gentleman's example, yet it is certain that he has read his criticiſms: for he frequently quotes them. How then can he repreſent this Poem as being thought *faultleſs* by every one? So far from it, that I may venture to affirm, that no perſon, who had any juſt pretence to learning, ever looked on it as a *faultleſs compoſition*.

Indeed this Editor tells us, p. 149, 150. that 'thoſe 'verſes on which he has no note, he would be under'ſtood to approve, as wrought up to the higheſt per'fection.' And I doubt not but he would be *underſtood* to mean the ſame concerning the other verſes, as he has corrected them. If therefore in thoſe *approved verſes* we can find the ſame, or parallel ſuppoſed faults with thoſe which he finds in other places, which will be eaſily done, he muſt retract, either his cenſures, or his approbation. Or if we can find any real faults in theſe *approved verſes*, it is incumbent on the Doctor to defend them; which, I believe, will be an hard taſk.

Next, I cannot but obſerve the contradictory rules, by which the Doctor works. P. 82. he ſays, 'our Author 'generally rather aims at ſtrong expreſſion, than ſmooth 'and flowing numbers.' Whereas, p. 123. he ſays, 'our 'Author, well ſkilled in Muſic, could not be guilty of ſo 'abſonous an accent.' How ſhall we attack a man, who has ſuch different places of refuge? But it happens unfortunately for him, that neither of theſe rules is right, tho' oppoſite to each other: for MILTON is ſometimes guilty of low thoughts; and ſometimes of harſh numbers. Again, the Doctor ſometimes tells us, that what is beſt was dictated by MILTON; and that the faults are owing to the Printer, or Editor: at other times, he confeſſes, that MILTON was guilty of ſome ſlips and inadvertencies, by reaſon of his blindneſs. And thus, upon the ſtrength of theſe rules, he ſometimes lays the fault on MILTON; but oftener on the Editor, according to the humour he is in.

Laſtly, I muſt beſtow a word or two on the Doctor's very particular ſcheme of meliorating MILTON's Poem, ſo that no one fault ſhall remain in it, but all be *wrought up to the higheſt perfection*. How unneceſſary, and bold an attempt is this? Is it a national concern, that there ſhould be a perfect Poem amongſt us? No acceſſion of fame will accrue to MILTON by it; neither indeed does he want any: his own work, with all its defects, is a ſufficient ſubject of praiſe for one man. But if the Doctor would paſs upon us for a Poet himſelf (as his Preface informs us ſome people call him) let him produce ſomething of his own; and not perch upon MILTON's ſhoulders to make himſelf ſeem conſiderable. SCALIGER, whoſe courage and abilities were very great, in his *Hypercritic* has done ſomething like this to a few paſſages in ſome of the ancient Poets. But to pretend to correct and improve a whole Poem, and ſet it up for the ſtandard of perfection, was reſerved to one that exceeded SCALIGER in boldneſs: I wiſh he was equal to him in ability. If therefore the Doctor at any time ſucceeds in his attempt to improve MILTON, his labour is needleſs and impertinent; but if he fails, and, inſtead of mending, depraves the ſenſe, he then lays himſelf open to the utmoſt degree of ridicule, for voluntarily undertaking an unneceſſary taſk, which he is not capable of performing.

I have made theſe few reflections, becauſe they will furniſh me with ſome rules, by which to proceed in my remarks on the Doctor's alterations. I am, Sir,

March 9, 173¼. Your moſt humble ſervant, A. Z.

P. S. In my laſt, I had mentioned MILTON's Poem to be firſt publiſhed in the year 1667, which you have changed to 1669, upon the authority (as I ſuppoſe) of your Correſpondent, J. T. Indeed I thought Doctor B. might be depended upon in a matter of ſo little conſequence: and I cannot but ſtill believe him to be in the right, as to this particular, tho' I am cautious of being guided ſolely by his authority. I have therefore looked over ſeveral old Catalogues of Books for auctions and ſale, between the years 1678, and 1684. In theſe I find MILTON's *Paradiſe Loſt, in ten Books*, mentioned eleven times. Four of which are dated in the year 1667; five in 1668; and two in 1669. I have now one of the date 1669 before me, which begins with this Advertiſement.

'The Printer to the Reader.

'Courteous Reader, there was no Argument at firſt in'tended to the Book; but for the ſatisfaction of *many that* '*have deſired* it, I have procured it, and withall a reaſon 'of that which ſtumbled *many others*, why the Poem 'rhimes not. 'S SIMONS.

This ſeems to imply, that an impreſſion, or at leaſt part of an impreſſion, had been ſold off without the *Argument*, or the *Defence* of the blank verſe; unleſs by the *many* are meant thoſe who read it in manuſcript, or at the preſs. However, it muſt be confeſſed, there is ſomething ſtrange in this matter, which requires to be cleared up by thoſe who are able.

Paradiſe Regain'd was firſt publiſhed in Michaelmas term 1670, which I think Printers call 1671. Several of the old Catalogues before-mentioned, have *Paradiſe Loſt in 12 Books, Third Edition*, 1678, but none of them have it in the Second.

SIR,

THE account contained in the following extract of an old Letter, is undoubtedly true; and perhaps you may think it remarkable enough to be publiſhed in your Paper, when you ſhall have ſpare room. I believe you will think the ſufferer's honeſt way of telling it to be the beſt. I am, your humble ſervant, A. Z.

To Mr. A. H.

Metchelapatam, the 24th of *Septemb.* 1656.

I know not how far I may depend upon favour, altho' in conſcience we do deſerve ſome incouragement, in reſpect of our many hazards and hardſhips: one particular whereof I ſhall tell you; and 'tis the ſtrangeſt that ever you heard out of a Romance; which I ſhall tell, that you may join with me in praiſing the Lord for prolonging my days in the land of the living.

On thurſday the 24th of July (a day henceforth to be kept holy) Capt. WHITE, of the *Mayflower*, Capt. LUCAS, of the *Society*, and Capt. LOE, of the *Virgin*, had taken their leave of the ſhoar, and were going aboard their ſhips with all their retinue; and not without the company of near all the Engliſh Merchants on this place; intending to ſolemnize that day in valedictory ceremonies, and then to ſet ſail; and to this purpoſe, we had provided a common country boat, of about 30 tons, to go off in. So about 9 a clock, in a fair morning, we were all imbarked, being in number about 30 Engliſhmen, with 20 Blacks; the Engliſhmen lay moſt aloft upon the poop, only Capt. BROWNE, Capt. LUCAS, and myſelf, and ED. KING lay juſt under them in the hold. And while we were there ſerious, and the reſt aloft very merry in diſcourſe, going over the Bar, the boat ſtruck ground; and by means of her over-great main-ſail, ſuddenly over-ſet, and turned her keel upwards. Herewith, as many as were aloft, fell overboard: we that were in the hold, endeavoured to get out, and commit ourſelves to the mercy of the ſea, but could not, ſo ſuddenly the boat overturned, as a man can reckon to the number of 15. Suddenly we found ourſelves tumbled together in the water, among cheſts, caſes of liquor, and other ſuch lumber, with a ſcore of ſheep that were carrying aboard; and as within a diſh ſwimming with the bottom upwards, ſo were we all within the boat, and had the boat's keel in the zenith. It was there as dark as in the earth's center; but that air which was ſurprized within the concavous inſide of the boat's hold, wherein we were at her ſudden overturning, proved ſufficient for us (cloſe priſoners) to breathe in. And ſo we 4 Chriſtians, and ſome 20 Gentiles, ſat on *the thoughts*, with our heads above water, within ſide the boat, altho' without ſide the boat the water ran over her; and in this condition we lived 2 hours; in the mean time praying heartily, that mine and friend's eſtate might fall into merciful mens hands, and recommending my ſoul unto my Saviour's mercy for ſalvation; as for my body's, I had ſmall hopes; Capt. LUCAS often telling me, it was impoſſible to be preſerved, and a folly to think it. I anſwered him, that beſides the remembrance of miraculous JONAH in the whale's belly, in human reaſon, it was poſſible for us to continue alive a long time; and if any of thoſe men that were toſt overboard were ſaved, they would uſe ſome means for us alſo; unleſs they might give us over for dead (as indeed they did) the boat being a top of us, and water, for the moſt part, a top of the boat, ſo that but little of her appeared; and yet we that were within, had air, breath, and ſtood on *the thoughts*, with our heads above water. So I adviſed Capt. LUCAS to throw off all his cloaths, that we might be ready to ſwim, if any opportunity ſhould preſent, which he did, and I alſo, tho' I had 30 lb. in gold, beſides a little manuſcript book of 7 years Collections in my pocket; therefore I went wading through the water, groping about the inſide of the boat in that moſt perfect of darkneſs, until I found an hollow beam, and thereto I tied my breeching with a ſtrong tape, ſaying to my fellows, this ſhall be found whatever becomes of me. All this while, moſt hideous were the outcries of the diſtracted Gentiles, calling upon their Pagods, &c. In fine, the boat running aſhoar upon the ſands, and while the water was as high as our necks, with our feet we digged a pit in the ſand, near the boat's ſide, in doing whereof the current helped us; and then ſinking down into the water, and diving, crept out under the ſide of the boat, one by one. Then, after we were got out from under the boat, we found we had a water of ſome 180 paces over, and middle deep to wade through, the current whereof ran ſo ſtiff, that in attempting to ford it, 6 of our company had there periſhed before us: yet the major part eſcaping, Captain LUCAS and I held each other by the arms, and naked, waded through the current, ſuccouring each other in perilous ſteps; for if either had but loſt his footing, and fallen down, the violent torrent was ſo great, we ſhould never have riſen more in this world. At laſt, being got out of the water, as naked as ADAM, we had a mile and a half to run to the town, with the hot ſand ſcalding under our feet, and the ſun ſcorching over our heads, which cauſed all the ſkin of our bodies to peel off, altho' we ran apace; and the firſt Chriſtian we met, was a good Dutchman, who lent me his hat and ſlippers. The time we continued under the boat was about 2 hours; the perſons loſt were Mr. LEIGH, a tall, ancient Gentleman of 62 years, and an old ſervant to the Eaſt India Company; beſides Mr. MARTIN BRADGATE, the 2d Man, in the Company's ſervice at Metchel; alſo Mr. WATKINS, who went Merchant of the *Mayflower*, and three others.

That the Lord will teach us to walk worthy of his mercies, and vouchſafe me to ſee you, and friends, with comfort, is my daily prayer, and greateſt of temporal deſires: and ſo, committing you all to God's protection, I remain your moſt faithful friend and ſervant,

HUGH SQUIER.

An EPIGRAM, occaſioned by reading Doctor B's *Preface* to MILTON's *Paradiſe loſt*, in which he applies to himſelf theſe two lines of VIRGIL, Ec. IX. 33, 34.

——— *Sunt & mihi carmina; me quoque dicunt*
Vatem paſtores: ſed non ego credulus illis.

How could vile Sycophants contrive
A lie ſo groſs to raiſe;
Which even B———y can't believe,
Tho' ſpoke in his own praiſe!

DOMESTIC NEWS.

C. *Courant.*
P. *Poſt-Boy.*
D P. *Daily Poſt.*
D J. *Daily Journal.*
E P. *Evening Poſt.*
S J. *S. James's Evening Poſt.*
WE. *Whitehall Evening P.*
LE. *London Evening Poſt.*

Puffs of Hyp-oratorical wind in February.

The ſunday evening Lectures of the Oratory are, and have been for theſe 3 or 4 months, as much encourag'd as when they were firſt begun at Newport Market. *D J. Feb.* 3.—*Shops, where trade is* much encouraged, *are ſeldom advertiſed, unleſs in order to be lett.* —— We hear that To-morrow's Hyp-Doctor will anſwer, &c. *D J.* 7. —— *The* Doctor *told this, I ſuppoſe, to the Printers.* —— The Rev. Mr. Henley is deſired to ſuit his next ſunday's morning ſermon, &c. *D J.* 11. —— *He, no doubt, complied with his own* deſire. —— Sir Iſaac Ratcliffe will publiſh to morrow, &c. *D J.* 14. —— This day is publiſhed in the Hyp Doctor, &c. Where may be had, there being a demand for it, the fourth edition of No. 39. *D J.* 15. —Where may be had, having been much demanded, &c. *D J.* 22. —— *This* fourth edition *came out the ſame day with the* third edition of the Lecture about Miſs Cadiere. —— The Gentlemen concerned in the private ſubſcription, have engaged two new Diſcourſes at the Oratory, &c. *D J.* 18. —— *This* engagement *was as* private *as the* ſubſcription. —— We hear from George's Coffee-houſe, that the Hyp-Doctor will, in his To-morrow's Paper, &c. *D J.* 21. —— Mr. Auditor's *Office being very conſiderable, he ſpeaks in the Royal ſtyle,* We. — The morning ſubject of the Oratory, next ſunday, is given out to be, &c. *D J.* 25. —— *Let it be* given out *as it will,* the morning, *as well as* evening ſubject of the Oratory, *is nothing but a* Coffee-houſe. —— The Craftſman having confeſs'd laſt ſaturday, that the Hyp-Doctor, &c. *D J.* 28. —— *It is to be wiſh'd, the* Hyp-Doctor *would come likewiſe to* confeſſion.

THURSDAY, *March* 16.

Yeſterday morning the Rev. Dr. Benſon preached before her Majeſty, his Royal Highneſs the Duke, and the Princeſſes. *C.* —— His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint Col. Tho. Paget, Groom of his Bedchamber, to be Lieut. Col. to the Regiment of Horſe in Ireland, commanded by Col. Legoniere. — Major Sowle to be Lieut. Col. to Col. Montague's Regiment of Foot in North-Britain; and Capt. Pool to be Major in his room. —— Major Patterſon to be Lieut. Col. to Col. Cornwallis's Regiment of Foot at Jamaica; Capt. Tho. White to be Major in his room; Capt. Lieut. Robertſon to be Capt. in his; and Enſign John Cole to be Lieut. in the room of Capt. Lieut. Seaman. *D P.*

Yeſterday the claim to the Barony of Powis, between John Kynaſton, Eſq; and Sir Nath. Curzon, Bar. was further argued before the Houſe of Lords. The further proceedings in this affair are adjourned to tueſday ſe'nnight. *D P. P.*

Yeſterday there was a General Court of the South-Sea Company, when each Proprietor was examined, whether he had a 1000 l. ſtock, before he was ſuffered to go in: Sir John Eyles opened the Court, by offering a method to diſcharge part of their bond debts, which was, to annihilate 6 ½ per cent. of the principal; but after ſeveral debates it was put to the vote and rejected. —— A Gentleman made a propoſal, that a Committee of the Proprietors might be choſen to inſpect the accounts; and the previous Queſtion, whether this propoſal ſhould be put to the vote, was carry'd in the negative. —— Another propoſal was made to diſcharge the bond debts, by reducing an half per cent. of the intereſt; which was alſo rejected. —— There were likewiſe many diſputes relating to their trade; ſome were for carrying it on, others for dropping it, and others for farming both the Aſſiento and annual Trade, but they could not come to any reſolution; ſo they agreed to leave it to the Directors, to conſider of ſome method to put their affairs under a better regulation; and adjourned the Court till to-morrow ſe'nnight. *D P.*

This morning the Counteſs of Exeter, and her ſon the L. Burleigh, ſet out together for Wincheſter, his Lordſhip being to be entered of the College there. *L E.*

We hear that orders have been ſent from the Admiralty-office, for all the Guardſhips to be cleaned and dock'd forthwith. *D P.*

On tueſday died at his ſeat at Berkhamſtead in Hertfordſhire, Sir Jos. Edmunds Moor, Bar. *P.* More, deſcended from Sir Will. la More, who was made Knight Banneret by Edward the Black Prince at the battle of Poictiers. He is ſucceeded in dignity and eſtate by his eldeſt ſon, who is in his minority. *D P.* 17. —Yeſterday morning died the Hon. Mrs. Bellaſys, ſiſter to the R. Hon. the L. Viſc. Falconbridge, at his Lordſhip's houſe in Poland-ſtreet. *C. P. D P.* — In the afternoon, the Hon. Brigadier Crolts, Brother to the late Dutcheſs of Bolton. *S J.* —Yeſterday morning, Major General Croſts. *S J.* 17. — He was natural ſon of the late Duke of Monmouth. *L E.* 18.

A woman yeſterday was committed to jail,
For hawking ſcandalous Libels, by Juſtice de Veil. *C.*

FRIDAY, *March* 17.

Hen. Davenant, Eſq; formerly employ'd in ſeveral foreign Negotiations from this Court, ſet out ſome days ſince for Bruſſels, in order to reſide there. *P.*

We hear Dr. Jurin has reſign'd his place of Phyſician to Guy's Hoſpital, for which there are ſeveral Candidates, and 'tis thought will be ſucceeded by Dr. Clarke. *D J.* ——My Brother, *I hear, ſold his vote and intereſt in this election for* half a crown.

Yeſterday Mary Price, commonly called the Witch of Weſtminſter, and ſeveral other Hawkers and Venders of Pamphlets, were taken up in Weſtminſter-hall, and the Court of Requeſts, and committed to hard labour in Tothill-fields Bridewell, for uttering a ſcandalous Pamphlet. *D R.*

We hear that the qualifications for Juſtices of the peace will be, being charged at 100 l. per ann. to the Land Tax. *D P.*

On the 3d died Margaret, Wife of Walt. Newberry, of Gracechurch-ſtreet, in the 33d year of her age, of the dropſy, with which ſhe had been afflicted near 8 years. She was tapped 10 times, in the year 1728: in 1729, 15: in 1730, 18: and in 10 months of the year 1731, 14: in all 57 times: and had taken from her in the whole above 240 gallons of water. *D J.*

Yeſterday the Reverend Mr. John Gwynn
Was preſented to the Living of Llanvihangel-gonelglyn. *P.*

SATURDAY, *March* 18.

Yeſterday the Rev. Dr. Penny, Dean of Litchfield, preached before their Majeſties, and the Royal Family. *C.* — It being the anniverſary of S. Patrick, the Tutelar Saint of Ireland, their Majeſties, &c. appear'd in croſſes. *P. D P.* A high Feſtival at Court. *C.*

The ſame day Mr. Leafe, ſome time ſince committed to Newgate by the Committee relating to the affair of the Charitable Corporation, was honourably diſcharged from his impriſonment. *P.*

On wedneſday a general Court of the Bank agreed to a dividend of 3 *per cent.* for the half year ending at Lady Day 1732, which will begin to be paid Ap. 23. *P.*

The Cargo of the Heathcote from Mocha, on account of the united Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies, viz. 979,000 lb. Coffee, beſides ſeveral parcels of goods. *C. P. D J.* — By a private letter from Surat in the Eaſt Indies comes advice, that from May to September is the uſual time of rain; but that they had not had one drop to Aug. 10. *C.*

Cambridge, Mar. 15. This day the Rev. Mr. Sedgwick, Fellow of Queen's Coll. was unanimouſly elected Maſter, in the room of the Rev. Dr. Davis. He had a Batchelor of Divinity's Degree given him by a Royal mandate, in order to qualify him for the Maſterſhip. *C.*

The diſpute about the Lectureſhip of S. Mary Whitechappel is decided between Dr. Simpſon, Rect. of S. George in the Eaſt, and Mr. Smith, Lecturer of S. Giles's in the fields, who are to officiate alternately. *D J.*

A few days ago died at his ſeat at Monckton Farley, in the County of Wilts, Daniel Webb, Eſq; &c. *D P.* — Laſt thurſday morning died, at his apartment at the Cockpit, Whitehall, of the gout in his ſtomach, Mr. Edw. Dickinſon, Chamber-keeper to his Majeſty's Council office. *D J.* Chamber-keeper of the Hon. Committee of Council. *C.* Deputy-keeper of the Council Chamber at the Cockpit. *P.*

Cambridge, Mar. 16. This morning died of a ſore throat the Rev. Dr. Myddleton, the ſuppoſed Author of a Letter to Dr. Waterland. *P.* Letters yeſterday mention it, &c. *L E.* Some mention it, but others don't; it's hoped it is not true. *D P.*

Chriſtned, Males, 178. Females, 174. In all, 352. *Buried,* Males, 236. Females, 236. In all, 472. Increaſed in the Burials this week, 25. *P.*

This day Ric. Poole ſtood in the pillory before Weſtminſter-hall gate, for wilful and corrupt perjury, in relation to ſummoning Col. Wingfield on a Jury for the trial of Mr. Francklin. *L E. S J.*

On thurſday died at his houſe in Salop, Sir Littleton Powis, Knt. many years one of the Juſtices of the Court of King's Bench, 'till he received his *Quietus eſt*, and had a penſion allowed him. *L E.* In his 85th year. *P. Mar.* 20. — On thurſday night laſt died —— Douglas, Eſq; nephew to his Grace the Duke of Queenſborough, at his lodgings at Charing-croſs. *P.* —— On ſaturday died at New Woodſtock, in Oxfordſhire, Sir Will. Gordon, a Scotch Baronet. *S J.* —— This day died Mr. Lucas, an eminent Glazier in Warwick-lane, reckon'd worth 30,000 l. *L E.*

The Reverend Mr. Jenkins *has a place to be employ'd in,*
Being preſented to the Living of Llanvihangel y Croyddin. *S J. WE. L E.*

MONDAY, *March* 20.

Yeſterday the R. Rev. the L. Biſhop of Bangor preached before their Majeſties, &c. *C.* —— His Majeſty was graciouſly pleaſed to iſſue out his Royal Proclamation on ſaturday laſt for apprehending Will. Burroughs, Eſq; one of the Committee of the Charitable Corporation, and Will. Squire, one of the Aſſiſtants to the ſaid Committee, offering a reward of 500 l. for diſcovering and apprehending each of them, &c. While the Proclamation was in the preſs, Will Burroughs, Eſq; ſurrender'd himſelf. *D P.* and was order'd into the cuſtody of the Serjeant at Arms. *C.*

The youngeſt ſon of Sir Tho. Lyttelton, Bart. and the youngeſt ſon of Sir Rog. Bradſhaigh, Bart. are appointed Pages of Honour to her Majeſty. *D P.*

We hear from Edinburgh, that the Magiſtrates of that City have clear'd the ſtreets of Beggars, by putting them into a work-houſe, and placing boxes to receive charity for their ſupport in the Kirks and Epiſcopal Meetings, which has had already a very good effect. *D P.*

The Rev. Mr. Alex. Chalmers was lately preſented by the R. Hon. the L. High Chancellor to the Rectory of S. Stephen Coleman-ſtreet, void by the promotion of the R. Rev. Dr. Mordecai Cary to the See of Clonfert. *P.*

A woman was condemned laſt ſummer Aſſize at Rocheſter, for the murder of her baſtard child, and now pleaded his Majeſty's moſt gracious pardon; and was married immediately to the Gentleman by whom ſhe was ſuppoſed to have had the ſaid child. *D J.* — A Farmer.

Will. Ragley [late an eminent Smith at Graveſend. *D J.*] was found guilty, at the Aſſizes at Rocheſter, of the murder of his wife. It appear'd, that in December laſt he came home, and bid her make his bed; upon which ſhe made anſwer, that ſhe would not make it for him, nor his dog of a boy, and call'd him ſodomitical dog: on which he took a gun loaded with ſhot, [with hob nails and bits of iron. *D J.*] and ſhot her in the breaſt, of which wound ſhe languiſhed for a week, and died. *P.* He was ordered for execution. *D J.* —— *This and the foregoing inſtance ſhew,* that marriage *and* hanging *go by deſtiny.*

A few days ſince died at his ſeat at Leatherhead in Surrey, Hen. Lydeott, Eſq; *P.* At his ſeat at Aſhſtead, near Banſtead. *C. D P.* —— On the 5th died at Eaſt-Balſham in Norfolk, the Rev. Mr. Wright, formerly Rector of Wimfotſham in that County, deprived for non-compliance at the Revolution, but lived near that place, very much eſteemed for his great modeſty, learning, candour, and other valuable qualities, and his loſs equally lamented. *D P.*

On ſaturday, a ſtain'd window of curious device,
In S. Andrew's Church Holborn was put up in a trice. *P.*
The Artiſt's *name I'll tell, tho' I took nothing of* Price.

TUESDAY, *March* 21.

Yeſterday his Majeſty went to the Houſe of Peers with the uſual ſtate, and gave the Royal aſſent to the Bill for puniſhing mutiny and deſertion; the Bill relating to Meſſieurs Robinſon and Thompſon; and the Woolwich Church Bill. *C. P. D P.*

Yeſterday came on the election of a Common-Council Man for Aldgate Ward, in the room of Mr. Dep. Atwood, deceaſed; the Candidates were Mr. Smith and Mr. Fludyer, and the numbers ſtood thus; for Mr. Fludyer 118, and Mr. Smith 121; whereupon Mr. Smith was declared duly elected; but a ſcrutiny being demanded, it was granted, and will begin on thurſday next. *C. D P.* —— N. B. This is not Luteſtring Smith, who was concerned in purchaſing L. Derwentwater's eſtate. *L E.*

Yeſterday morning died of a fever, Mrs. Sarah Abney, &c. *D P.* eldeſt daughter of the late Sir Tho. Abney, Knt. formerly L. Mayor of this City. *C.* —— In the afternoon died the Rev. Mr. Edgley, Vicar of Wandsworth. *D P.*

Cambridge, Mar. 20. Laſt week Mr. Hadderton of Trinity College, Under-Librarian to the Univerſity, departed this life: the place is worth 50 l. per ann. There were 5 Candidates to ſucceed him, out of whom, the Heads prick'd 2, viz. Mr. Taylor of S. John's, and Mr. Rookes of Chriſt's; the former carried it by 15. *D J.* His death occaſion'd the report of the death of Dr. Middleton, Chief Librarian, who is in very good health. *D P.*

This morning the Counteſs of Portland, and her daughter the Lady Barbara, ſet out from her houſe, Whitehall, for Holland. *W E.*

March the 9th, at Leith died, as we are told,
Anne Roſs, one hundred and eighteen years old.
C. P. D P.

WEDNESDAY, *March* 22.

On monday his Grace the Duke of Buccleugh was introduced to their Majeſties and the Royal Family, and had the honour to kiſs their ſeveral hands. *P.*

Extract of a Letter from a Merchant at Briſtol *to his friend in London.* —— The Biddy Snow, of and from Briſtol, John Roberts, Commander, in her way from Guiney, with upwards of 120 negroes, ſome Guiney wood, and Elephant's teeth on board, call'd at St. Chriſtopher's to ſell her cargo of negroes; but finding no market for them there, ſhe ſail'd for Jamaica: two days after ſhe de-

parted from St. Chriſtopher's, ſhe was taken 30 leagues ſouthward of the Iſland of Porto-Rico, by one Raphael Arnan, Commander of the ſloop St. Joſeph Noſtra Seignora delle Villa, belonging to the Margaritta's, and carried to Crab Iſland, where they took out 32 negroes, the beſt anchor and cable, all their ſpare ſails and rigging, and ſent away the ſnow to the Margarittas, with only two of Robert's men on board her, beſides Spaniards: the Captain and all the reſt were put on ſhore naked, at a place called Punk, 110 miles from the City of Porto-Rico, with a guard, to travel them through the woods, and over the mountains, with ill treatment and hungry bellies. *C. D P.*

Yeſterday morn two men, a couple of ſad dogs,
Were committed to the Gatehouſe, for ſtealing two hogs. *C.*

From the PEGASUS *in Grub-ſtreet.*

The following paragraph begun our 107th Journal.

'Our kind Correſpondents have frequently expreſſed ſome 'uneaſineſs, that we neither print their Papers, nor ac- 'knowledge the receipt of them; which has occaſioned 'ſome of them to ſend two copies, on ſuppoſition that the 'firſt had miſcarried. As in doing this, they have hither- 'to given themſelves an unneceſſary trouble: ſo they may 'juſtly believe it will be ſuch for the future; eſpecially, if 'their Letters are directed to be left at Captain GULLI- 'VER's, near the Temple,

This paragraph has been taken by ſome Gentlemen in a ſenſe directly contrary to that which was intended, as if we deſigned thereby to let them know, that they would *give themſelves an unneceſſary trouble for the future*, if they *directed their Letters to be left at the Captain's*, becauſe if they were, we ſhould take little notice of them. Whereas we intended to inform them, and we thought we had done it in plain words, That as in ſending a ſecond copy of ſome of their Letters, they had hitherto given themſelves an unneceſſary trouble, becauſe the firſt copy had been received: ſo, they might juſtly believe their trouble in ſending a ſecond copy would be unneceſſary for the future, eſpecially if their firſt had been *directed to be left at Capt.* GULLIVER's, becauſe then, in all probability it had come to our hands. — — This is particularly mentioned at this time, that thoſe Gentlemen, who have favoured us with their correſpondence, may ſend their alterations and emendations of their Pieces, ſo directed, in order to be inſerted in the Volume of our *Memoirs*, which is now in the preſs.

Verſes occaſioned by reading the *London Journal of* February the 26th.

A Prelate, ſays OSBORNE, preach'd this doctrine o' late,
That the *Church* is the greateſt ſupport of the *State*;
A *traiterous* doctrine, for it is the ſame thing
With that *treacherous Maxim*, NO BISHOP, NO KING.
To Proteſtant Diſſenters, this doctrine ſo ſpurious,
The King's faithful ſubjects, is highly injurious;
To the King and Government the higheſt inſolence;
An arrogant impoſition upon common ſenſe;
The liberties of England it tends to ſubdue;
And is abſolutely falſe; as now I ſhall ſhew.
When King CHARLES gave the Parliament leave by a Bill,
To ſit, or to prorogue, or diſſolve, at their will,
He himſelf then *unking'd*: this was in Forty one;
But 'twas in Forty four, that the BISHOPS went down.
The *Scots* march'd into England, ſoon finiſh'd the work;
And the Church was a Sacrifice made to the Kirk.
Brother OSBORNE, your Syllogiſm is out of joint,
Cries SPONDEE; and you quite have miſtaken the Point.
You're to diſprove, NO BISHOP, no KING: and you diſh up
An argument diſproving NO KING, NO BISHOP.
But, as you are my Friend, and I like well your drift,
In your own way of arguing, I'll give you a lift.
In the year Forty-four, the Common Pray'r was outed;
Popiſh Prieſts, Chapters, Deans, and BISHOPS were routed;
The Great Little Arch-biſhop, whom Saints all abhorr'd,
Felt a *laudable* ſtroak to the *laud* of the Lord.
But the KING, who was bigger, and younger, and ſtronger,
Kept his head on his ſhoulders full four years longer.
To them, MÆVIUS replies, You have prov'd, to my wonder,
That BISHOP and KING have ſubſiſted aſunder:
But from both of your proofs this Concluſion I find,
That when One's gone, the Other ne'er ſtays long behind.

Edinburg, Mar. 13. Yeſterday before noon (the Dyet appointed by the venerable Commiſſioners of the General Aſſembly of the edictal ſervice of Mr Patrick Wotherſpoon, his Majeſty's Preſentee, as one of the Miniſters of the Weſt Kirk) the Rev. Mr. Dawſon preached a moſt excellent Sermon there, very ſuitable to the occaſion, tending to promote love, peace, and other Chriſtian virtues: but it was preaching to a rock to addreſs the giddy rabble, who, it ſeems, were determined to play the Devil for God's ſake; they had previouſly filled the locks of the Church doors with rubbiſh, nail'd up the pulpit, and barricaded the avenues leading thereto; ſo that 'twas with much difficulty Mr. Dawſon got acceſs. After Sermon was over, while the Pſalm was ſinging, a numerous mob of men and women, ſhaking off all regard to authority, or reſpect to the day, or place, got out of their ſeats, and in a moſt tumultuous manner attacked the Gentleman in the pulpit with ſticks and ſtones, whom they had unqueſtionably tore to pieces, notwithſtanding ſeveral Gentlemen, and others, oppoſed the fury, had not the Magiſtrates called in the City guard, which was poſted hard by; ſo that at laſt the edict was got read. Seeing themſelves diſappointed here, and that the Magiſtrates had ordered the Proclamation for diſpelling of mobs to be read, they got out of the Church, pulled down the copy of the edict, which was affix'd to the Kirk door, and ſeemed diſpoſed to pull down the Church itſelf, had they not been beat off by the Guard: they afterwards renewed their attack at the Weſt Port upon the City Guard, as they were carrying five of the rioters to goal; but after exchanging ſome blows, they thought proper to retire. ——— This laſt detachment was led on by the ſighing ſiſters. At night, when the Magiſtrates were returning to town, they repeated their attack on the City Guard with ſuch fury, that the ſoldiers were obliged to fire on them, whereby a poor woman, ſtanding at a diſtance, was wounded, as were alſo ſeveral of the guard. *C.*

Mount Jeuers, *in the County of* Clare, *March* 9. —— Laſt ſunday night was ſeven weeks, Eliz. Hogan and Mary her daughter, were murdered near the ſix-mile Bridge, tho' not diſcovered till laſt night was ſe'nnight, when the two corpſe were found in the houſe of the deceaſed, upon the breaking open the door by ſome of their friends, who had miſſed them for ſix weeks; the child of about ſeven years of age was ſtrangled, and her neck twiſted upon the bed where they lay; the mother had her neck broke and her throat cut, and one of the child's ſtockings thruſt into the wound, and was dragg'd on the floor, without even a ſhift on her. The bodies were all mouldy; all the goods and money belonging to the deceaſed were carried off; and one Catherine Wing, now in Limerick goal, upon whom ſome of the cloaths were found, is all that can as yet be detected. *Ibid.*

FOREIGN NEWS.

THURSDAY, *March* 16.

Yeſterday arrived the Mails from France.

Paris, Mar. 19. On the 15th, the French Academy choſe the Abbot Terraſſon of the Royal Academy of Sciences, to fill up the place vacant by the death of the Count de Morville. *C. P. DP.*

Extract of a private letter from Leyden, *dated Mar.* 14. —— This brings you an account of the ſevere uſage the Engliſh receive here: 2 ſtudents going home the other night to their chambers, were attack'd, cut, beat, and taken into cuſtody by the Town-guards, who carried them away to the Stadt-houſe, where they remain'd for 2 days and 3 nights, without being examin'd. The Grand Schout obliged them to pay 14 l. before he would releaſe them. Theſe fellows have 6 guilders a man for bringing them into the Stadt-houſe, and 6 guilders a man for ſwearing againſt each perſon: the fellow who impoſes the fine is the aforeſaid Grand Schout, and he himſelf receives the whole benefit thereof. In ſhort, they are uſed ſo inhumanly on all occaſions, that unleſs they are redreſs'd by the States, they muſt retire in their own defence from Leyden: they can neither go to College, or any where elſe on their lawful occaſions, without being inſulted by the Grand Schout's Myrmidons. One of the Gentlemen who was taken, was cut quite to the pericranium, and not one could lay any thing to his charge. *S J.*

FRIDAY, *March* 17.

Paris, Mar. 14. A deputation of 7 French Comedians, having at their head the two Sieurs Quinault, being introduced into the Hall of the French Academy, M. Quinault, the elder, made a polite compliment in the Academic ſtyle, and declared the reſolution they had taken to give all the Gentlemen of the Academy free entrance into their houſe, when, and as often as they pleaſe. *C.* — — *Our* Academy *juſtly expects the like* compliment *from* a deputation of Engliſh Comedians, *with* the two Sieurs CIBBER at their head.

Paris, Mar. 22. The Opera of *Jephthah* coming more and more in vogue, new Decorations are making for it. It is the firſt Dramatic Piece taken from the ſacred Scriptures, that has been acted upon the French ſtage. *C.*

Hambourg, Mar. 14. On the 10th began the ſale of the ſhip Apollo's cargo: the concourſe of buyers was extraordinary. The Proprietors will make at leaſt 100,000 crowns more of Tea than was expected. *D P.*

SATURDAY, *March* 18.

Hanover, Mar. 15. Recruits are raiſing to compleat the Companies againſt the arrival of his Britannic Majeſty: who has been graciouſly pleas'd to leſſen again the Tax upon Beer. *D P.*

MONDAY, *March* 20.

On ſaturday arrived the Mail from Holland.

Seville, Mar. 1. N. S. The King has nominated the Count de Mortemar to command the army that is aſſembling in Catalonia. *C P.*

Yeſterday arrived the Mail from France.

Paris, Mar. 26. About 6 in the evening a courier brought the news, that her Majeſty was ſafely delivered of a Princeſs that afternoon, at 3 quarters after 4. *C. P. D P.* At Verſailles. *D J.* —— The Actions are at above 1700. *C.* ——— The French King was 22 years old Feb. 4. O. S. and has now 2 ſons, and 4 daughters. *P.*

TUESDAY, *March* 21.

Late laſt night arrived the Mail from Holland.

Vienna, Mar. 15. An expreſs from Milan, from the Governor General of that Dutchy brings advice, that the Malecontents of Corſica having implored the protection of the ſerene Infante Don Carlos, and a ſtrong report being ſpread there, that the Spaniards intend a deſcent on that Iſland, he thought it very adviſable to ſuſpend the march of the Imperial Troops 'till new orders, and has further made ſuch diſpoſitions as to be able to call the Troops of that Dutchy together, and form an army on the firſt occaſion. Upon the receipt of this expreſs, the Emperor held a conference with Prince Eugene for 2 hours, at the iſſue whereof expreſſes were diſpatch'd to Great Britain and Holland. Some advices from Italy ſay, that 12,000 Spaniards are actually lodg'd in the Iſle of Elbe, on the coaſt of Tuſcany. *D P. D J.*

WEDNESDAY, *March* 22.

Paris, Mar. 24. 'An embargo having been laid upon 'all ſhips in the Ports of Spain, from Cadiz to Barcelona, 'we expect to hear every day of an embarkation of the 'forces. *P.*

Piſa, Mar. 8. The Infante Duke ſet out hence the 3d, and lay at Ambrogiana, where he ſtaid 'till the 6th, when he deſigned to ſet out for Florence. *C.*

Petersburg, Feb. 26. Admiral Severs, a Dane by birth, who was at the head of the Admiralty, is now in diſgrace; ſo that Admiral Gordon is at the head of the Ruſſian Admiralty. *C.*

Conſtantinople, Feb. 5. The famous General Count de Bonneval is at length arrived in this Capital, where he has been received with diſtinction by the Ottoman Miniſters. He is now called *Achmet Bey*; and has a grand Palace aſſigned him, with a grand penſion of 2000 crowns: and as an earneſt of his being raiſed to the greateſt dignities of the Empire, the Grand Seignior has nominated him Sangiac in the Archipelago, which will bring him in 2000 Ducats a year more. *P.*

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